

1                   BEFORE THE

2                   ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION

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4   ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION                    )  
                                   On its own motion,                    )  
 5                   DOCKET NO.   )  
                                   -vs-   )   01-0609

6   ILLINOIS BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY                    )  
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 8   Investigation of the propriety of                    )  
      the rates, terms, and conditions                    )  
 9   related to the provision of the                        )  
      Basic COPTS Port and the COPTS-Coin                )  
 10   Line Port.    )

11                                   Monday, November 5, 2001

12                                   Springfield, Illinois

13           Met, pursuant to notice, at 10:00 a.m.

14   BEFORE:

15           MR. DONALD L. WOODS, Administrative Law Judge

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17   APPEARANCES:

18           MR. MARK KERBER  
              225 West Randolph Street, HQ-25D  
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19                                   (Appearing on behalf of Ameritech  
 20                                   Illinois.)

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22   SULLIVAN REPORTING CO., by  
      Laurel A. Patkes, Reporter.  
      APPEARANCES: (CONT'D.)

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6 (Appearing on behalf of Staff of the  
7 Illinois Commerce Commission.)  
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15 -and-  
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19 Buffalo Grove, Illinois  
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21 (Appearing on behalf of Data Net  
22 Systems and Pay Phone Services,  
Inc.)

1	INDEX	
2	WITNESSES	DIRECT CROSS
3	None.	
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10	EXHIBITS	
11	None.	
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1 PROCEEDINGS

2 ALJ WOODS: This is Docket 01-0609, Illinois  
3 Commerce Commission on its own motion v. Illinois  
4 Bell Telephone Company, an investigation of the  
5 propriety of the rates, terms, and conditions  
6 related to the provision of the Basic COPTS Port  
7 and the COPTS-Coin Line Port.

8 This cause comes on for hearing  
9 November 4, 2001 before Donald L. Woods, duly  
10 appointed Administrative Law Judge under the  
11 authority of the Illinois Commerce Commission.

12 The cause is set today for a hearing  
13 in the nature of a prehearing conference to discuss  
14 scheduling and other matters.

15 At this time I'll take the  
16 appearances of the parties beginning with Illinois  
17 Bell Telephone Company.

18 MR. KERBER: On behalf of Ameritech  
19 Illinois, this is Mark Kerber, 225 West Randolph  
20 Street, HQ-25D, Chicago, 60606.

21 ALJ WOODS: On behalf of staff?

22 MR. HARVEY: Appearing for the staff of the

1 Illinois Commerce Commission, Matthew L. Harvey,  
2 160 North LaSalle Street, Suite C-800, Chicago,  
3 Illinois 60601-3104.

4 ALJ WOODS: Any additional appearances?

5 MR. KELLY: On behalf of Data Net Systems and  
6 Pay Phone Services, Inc., Henry Kelly with O'Keefe,  
7 Ashenden, Lyons & Ward, 30 North LaSalle Street,  
8 Suite 4100, Chicago, Illinois 60602, and Michael  
9 W. Ward with Michael W. Ward, P.C, 1608 Barclay  
10 Boulevard, Buffalo Grove, Illinois, and I don't  
11 know the zip code.

12 ALJ WOODS: Any additional appearances? Let  
13 the record reflect no response.

14 It's my understanding also that Data Net  
15 Systems and Pay Phone Services, Inc. Have filed  
16 petitions to intervene in this docket.

17 If there are no objections, those  
18 petitions to intervene will be granted at this  
19 time.

20 The record will also reflect  
21 discussions had among the parties concerning  
22 scheduling. The parties have agreed to the

1 following schedule with which I agree.

2 Direct testimony will be filed on or  
3 before December 21, 2001.

4 Rebuttal testimony will be filed on  
5 or before January 28, 2002.

6 Reply testimony by all parties will  
7 be filed on or before February 11, 2002.

8 The cause has been set for hearing  
9 February 20, 2002; hearing to commence at 10 a.m.  
10 in Springfield, Illinois.

11 Does that reflect the agreement of  
12 the parties?

13 MR. KELLY: Yes.

14 MR. WARD: Yes.

15 ALJ WOODS: Mr. Harvey?

16 MR. HARVEY: That's fine with staff.

17 ALJ WOODS: Anything further?

18 This cause is continued to  
19 February 20, 2002 at 10:00 a.m.

20 (Whereupon the hearing was  
21 continued to February 20, 2001 at  
22 10:00 a.m.)